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Examiner: Haq, Naeem U.
Group/Art Unit: 3625
Atty. Dkt. No: 5150-40800

Title: System and Method for
Enabling a User of an E-
Commerce System to
Visually View and/or
Configure a Product for
Purchase

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This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application number 09/498,698, filed on February 7, 2000, entitled System and Method for Enabling a User of an E-Commerce System to Visually View and/or Configure a Product for Purchase.

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Application Elements

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A Fee Authorization Form authorizing a deposit account debit for the RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is enclosed.

2. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

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3. Amendments

A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

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